

STATE OF ALABAMA

CITY OF RED BAY

FRANKLIN COUNTY

MINUTES OF A REGULAR MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL  
JANUARY 15, 2001

The City Council of Red Bay met in a regular meeting **January 15, 2001**, at 7:00 p.m.

Present and presiding was Mayor Tommy G. Nelson and Council Members present: Peggy Cox, Johnny Cleveland, Jimmy Mayfield, Lowell Gober, and Eucellis Underwood.

Shirley J. Cody, City Clerk, was present and recording.

Eucellis Underwood led the Invocation.

Peggy Cox led the Allegiance to the Flag.

Others present were Police Chief "Reb" Boatwright and City Inspector Bob Hardin.

Police Chief "Reb" Boatwright reminded the council of the retirement party for Phillip Swindle on January 25, 2001. He asked for approval from the council on the plaque inscription for Phillip Swindle. All agreed it was okay.

On recommendation from Bud Strickland, he requested that Ricky Petree be hired as a fireman. Jimmy Mayfield made a motion to hire Ricky Petree as fireman, seconded by Lowell Gober. Unanimously passed.

Johnny Cleveland made a motion to raise part-time dispatcher Roy Lee Gober to \$9.50 per hour, seconded by Eucellis Underwood. Unanimously passed.

Peggy Cox made a motion that from the state funds the following pedestrian walk ways be located at McDonald's, Colonial Bank, Community Spirit Bank, U.S. Post Office, Citizens Bank, Highway 11 South - near school across from W.E. Cleveland, 7th Street SE in front of school,

seconded by Lowell Gober. Unanimously passed.

Bids on the 1997 Chevrolet Police Car were as follows:

Daniel Sparks	-	\$ 600.00
Bob Woods	-	\$1865.00
Page Chevrolet	-	\$ 500.00

Jimmy Mayfield made a motion to refuse all bids, seconded by Lowell Gober. Unanimously passed.

Eucellis Underwood made a motion to hire Tracie Bolding as City Secretary to replace Ginger Orrick who is getting married, seconded by Lowell Gober. Unanimously passed.

The following insurance bids for the city were submitted:

Alabama League	-	\$44,954.00
Kemper	-	\$46,664.00
Sinclair	-	\$52,839.00

Lowell Gober made a motion to table until later, seconded by Johnny Cleveland. Unanimously passed.

Peggy Cox made a motion to approve an up-date CITIZEN PARTICIPATION PLAN, Community Development Block Grant Program for the City of Red Bay, seconded Lowell Gober. Unanimously passed.

Johnny Cleveland made a motion to pay due bills, seconded by Lowell Gober. All voted FOR except on Underwood True Value Eucellis Underwood ABSTAINED.

Peggy Cox made a motion to approve the minutes of previous meeting, January 2, 2001, seconded by Lowell Gober. Unanimously passed.

Mayor Nelson told Chief "Reb" Boatwright he had a request from a couple of citizens or Red Bay on Highway East 24 on Kennedy Street and Truman Street that speed needs to be controlled. Reb is to caution officers traveling Highway 24 from the east to drive at a slower speed at these intersections unless an emergency.

Eucellis Underwood made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Lowell Gober. Unanimously passed.

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Tommy G. Nelson, Mayor

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Shirley J. Cody, City Clerk